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Claims 1-23 are pending. Initially, Applicants gratefully acknowledge the allowance of Claims 7-14 and 18. Claims 1-6, 15-17 and 19-23 presently stand as allegedly unpatentable. In order to expedite prosecution of this application claims 1-6, 15-17 and 19-23 have been cancelled. This is done without acquiescence in the grounds of rejection and without prejudice to pursue the original claimed subject matter at a later time (by continuation application or otherwise), For reasons explained in the Remarks herein, it is believed that the pending claims are therefore in condition for allowance.

Accordingly, please amend this application as shown herein.

Summary of Claims

Pending: 1-23

Amended: 1-6, 15-17 and 19-23

Canceled: 1-6, 15-17 and 19-23

Unchanged: 7-14 and 18

New: none

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.